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PETROLEUM PRODUCTS STORAGE
HAI PHONG, NORTH VIETNAM
2052N 10639E

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1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THIS BRIEFING BOARD DEPICTS STRIKE DAMAGE TO THE HAI PHONG
PETROLEUM PRODUCTS STORAGE.

2. LOCATION:

THIS INSTALLATION IS LOCATED 2.2 NM WEST-NORTHWEST OF HAI PHONG.

3. REMARKS:

THE TOTAL PRE-STRIKE STORAGE CAPACITY OF THE INSTALLATION IS
ASSESSED AT 47,925 METRIC TONS.

4. STRIKE INFORMATION:

STRIKE INFORMATION REPORTS THAT THIS INSTALLATION WAS STRUCK ON
29 JUNE 1966, ON 07 JULY 1966, AND ON 02 AUGUST 1966.

5. BACKGROUND:

THE STRIKES OF 29 JUNE AND 07 JULY DESTROYED EIGHTEEN TANKS,
DAMAGED SIXTEEN TANKS, DESTROYED THE PUMP HOUSE SERVING THE WESTERN
TANK AREA, BUT LEFT APPARENTLY UNDAMAGED ONE HORIZONTAL SERVICE TANK.

6. MISSION READOUTS:

PRE-STRIKE PHOTOGRAPHY

REVEALED HAI PHONG PETROLEUM PRODUCTS STORAGE TO CONTAIN THIRTY

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VERTICAL CYLINDRICAL TANKS RANGING IN DIAMETER [REDACTED] TO ONE
HUNDRED FIFTEEN FEET AND FIVE HORIZONTAL SERVICE TANKS.

POST-STRIKE PHOTOGRAPHY [REDACTED] REVEALS FIVE
OF THE SIXTEEN PREVIOUSLY DAMAGED TANKS TO BE DESTROYED, RESULTING IN
A TOTAL OF TWENTY-THREE TANKS DESTROYED AND ELEVEN TANKS DAMAGED. ONE
HORIZONTAL SERVICE TANK WAS LEFT APPARENTLY UNDAMAGED.

FOUR BUILDINGS WITHIN THE FACILITY WERE DESTROYED AND ONE WAS
DAMAGED.

NEWLY-IDENTIFIED ON THIS MISSION IS A PROBABLE UNDERGROUND POL
STORAGE AREA ON THE SOUTH BANK OF THE CUA CAM (DISTRIBUTARY) BETWEEN
THE MIDDLE AND EASTERN PIERS. THE AREA CONTAINS AT LEAST FIFTEEN
BURIED PROBABLE TANKS.

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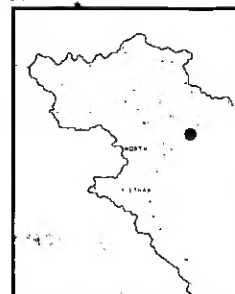
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PROBABLE U/G
STORAGE AREA



7X ENLARGEMENT
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TANKS DESTROYED THIRD STRIKE
BUILDINGS DAMAGED/DESTROYED
THIRD STRIKE

ACCUMULATIVE ASSESSMENT

23 DESTROYED TANKS
11 DAMAGED TANKS
1 UNDAMAGED TANK

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